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THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	Group Art Unit:	1744
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Gary K. LODA <i>et al.</i>)	Examiner:	Krisanne M. JASTRZAB
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Serial No.: 09/964,785)	Conf. No.:	3304
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Filed: September 26, 2001)		
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For: SYSTEM FOR, AND METHOD)		
OF, IRRADIATING OPPOSITE)		
SIDES OF ARTICLES WITH)		
OPTIMAL AMOUNTS OF)		
CUMULATIVE RADIATION)		

San Diego, California
May 5, 2006

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Dear Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicants hereby petitions for a 1-month extension of time to file the response to the Office Action dated January 12, 2006. With this extension, a response is due on or before May 12, 2006.

Accordingly, enclosed is Check No. 177733 in the amount of \$910 (\$120.00 for a 1-month extension of time and \$790.00 for the Request for Continued Examination.)

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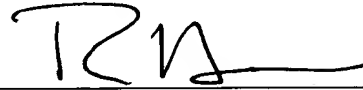
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The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fee required, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 50-0683, in the name of Luce, Forward, Hamilton & Scripps LLP.

Respectfully submitted,

May 5, 2006

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